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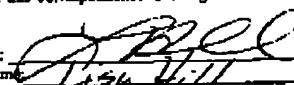
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 20 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 21 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 25 of this paper.